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This is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated March 22, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed. Formal drawings were previously submitted in this application. Enclosed is a copy of the postcard, which was returned from the Patent and Trademark Office date stamped March 20, 2001, acknowledging receipt of the Letter to Official Draftsperson and Formal Drawings, which were mailed March 16, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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